

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of: Emily A. Carter : Confirmation No.: 6714

Application No.: 10/518,129 : Art Unit: 1793

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For: SUPPORTED METAL CATALYST WITH IMPROVED THERMAL STABILITY

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**AMENDMENT AFTER ALLOWANCE, 37 CFR § 1.312**

Sir:

Responsive to the Notice of Allowability dated **December 16, 2008**, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.